

ARALIA CORDATA. 26565. Kan Udo, a Japanese vegetable, from Chevy Chase, Md. Grown by Mr. David Fairchild on his place, 'In the Woods'. See B.P.I. Bull. No. 42 for description.

BRASSICA. 26563-564. Two varieties of Chinese cabbage, or Pe'tsai, from Manchuria, one from Kinehow, the other from Chefoo. Presented by Mr. A. A. Williamson.

CITRUS TRIFOLIATA. 26561. Purchased from the Yokohama Nursery Co. From Kiushiu Prof. Ikeda says the northern limit of this tree is 37° N. latitude. The fruits from Kiushiu are larger than those produced in Yokohama.

CITRUS SP. 26568. Yuzu. Yuzu is a large, evergreen tree, bearing round, medium sized fruit which is very acid and has a coarse, thick rind. The fruit is used in Japan in place of the lemon. In some sections of Japan the Yuzu is considered better than Citrus trifoliata, as trees grafted on it grow better and live longer than those grafted on C. trifoliata. For distribution later.

CYDONIA SP. 26562. Presented by Rev. J.M.W. Farnham, Shanghai, China. "These quinces grow very large but are coarser and harder than American varieties. The one from which part of these seeds was taken was 12 inches in circumference and about 5 in. long." (Farnham.) For distribution later.

ELAEGNUS ANGUSTIFOLIA. 26594 (large-fruited) and 26595 (small-fruited.) From Wm. W. Masterson, Consul, Harput, Turkey. Trebizond date. "This grows in clusters to a height of 8 or 10 feet. In the spring it has a wonderfully fragrant blossom and in the autumn a fruit that looks very much like the commercial date; altho not so rich and sweet it is edible. They are rapid growers and used in this country for hedges. The idea I particularly have in mind in mentioning this plant is its superiority as a hedge over the Osage orange." (Masterson.)

LATHYRUS PARVIFOLIUS. 26607. From Sierra Madre Mountains, Cal. Presented by Mr. John Leenhouts. "I have seen these